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ABSTRACT

This English Language Arts Achievement Test was designed to evaluate the writing skills of third grade students. It includes instructions in which students are asked to write their own stories after reading a "story starter." The test instructs students to use their imaginations to finish the story and encourages them to do a prewriting exercise before beginning. A scoring formula for department use is included. (KEH)

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English Language Arts
Part A: Writing

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**GRADE 3 ACHIEVEMENT TEST
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS**

PART A: Writing

TO THE TEACHER: Please read the instructions on this page to the students.

Do not read aloud any other parts of the test.

Do not provide assistance in any other way.

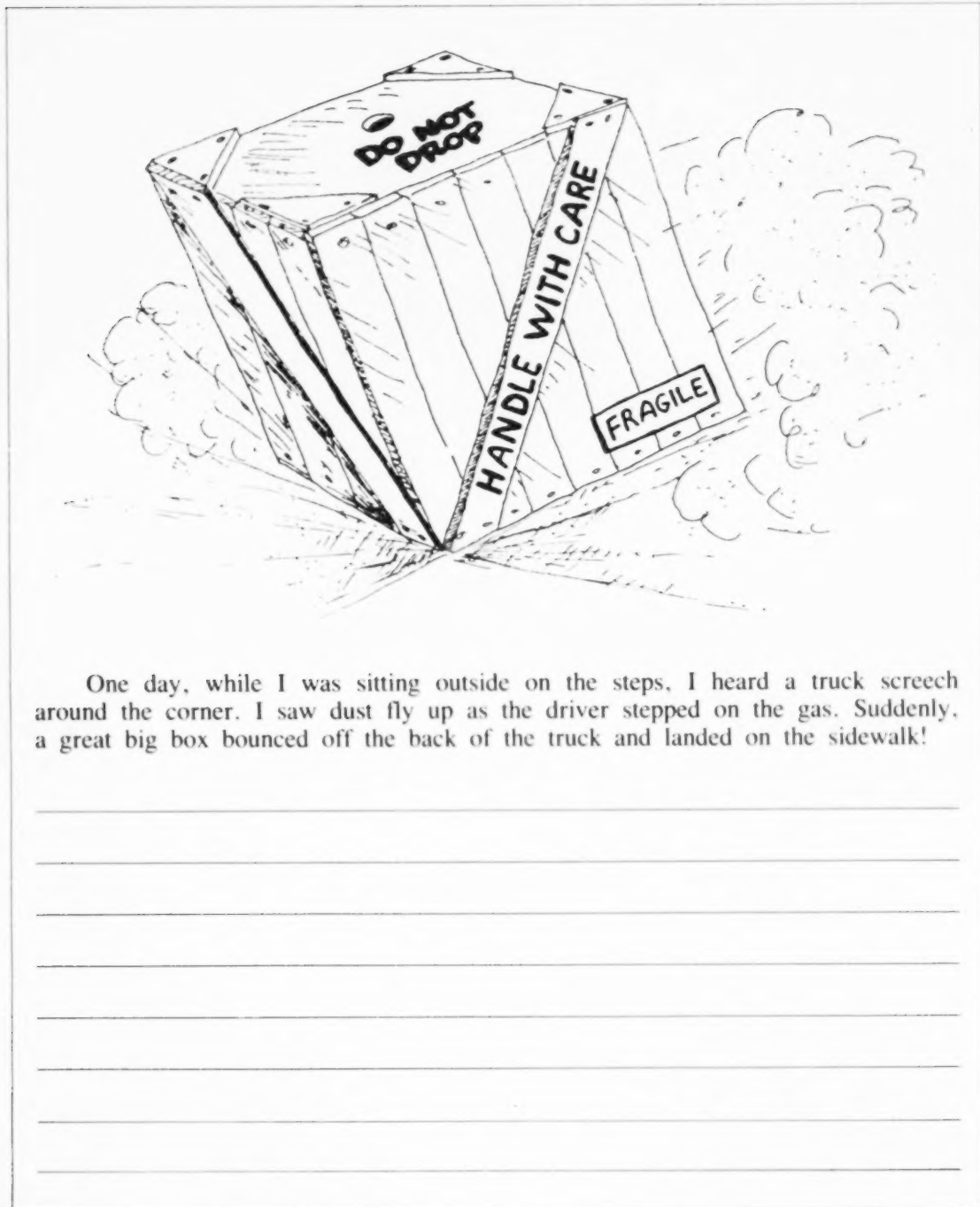
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- In this booklet, you are asked to write a story.
- You will read the start of a story and then use your imagination to finish it.
- You should not copy the start of the story.
- You may write down your ideas on the page labelled IDEAS before you begin to write your story.
- Please print or write as neatly as you can.
- When you have finished your story, CHECK YOUR WORK and correct any mistakes you find.
- You have 60 MINUTES to finish your story.

You may use this page to write down your ideas after you have read the start of the story.

IDEAS

Read the start of the story you are going to write and use your imagination to finish it.



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DEVELOPMENT	0 (INS)	1	2	3	4	5
SENTENCE STRUCTURE	0 (INS)	1	2	3	4	5
VOCABULARY	0 (INS)	1	2	3	4	5
CONVENTIONS	0 (INS)	1	2	3	4	5

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Teacher: Please write the student's Part B Reading booklet number in BOTH places provided below.

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Part B Reading booklet number

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Teacher: Please write your school code in the space provided below.

School code:

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Student name (please print):

First Name

Last Name

School name (please print):

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